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#### GERMANY.

## Reports from Berlin-The Prussian census.

BERLIN, GERMANY, November 4, 1901.

SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith the final results of the census taken in Prussia on December 1, 1900, as officially published under date of November 3, 1901:

The population of Prussia has increased since 1895 from 31,855,123 to 34,472,509. The male population increased from 15,645,349 to 16,971,425, and the female population increased from 16,209,684 to 17,501,084.

The increase of the population for the whole of Prussia amounted to 8.2 per cent. With the exception of East Prussia, where the population decreased since 1895 from 2,006,689 to 1,996,626, all the provinces show an increase as indicated in the following table:

## Population of Prussia.

	On December 1—			On December 1—	
	1895.	1900.		1895.	1900.
West Prussia	1,677,304 2,821,695 1,574,147 1,828,658 4,415,309	1,563,658 1,888,848 3,108,554 1,634,832 1,887,275 4,668,857 2,832,616	Schleswig-Holstein Hanover. Westphalia. Hessen-Nassau. Rhineland Hohenzollern.	2, 422, 020 2, 701, 420 1, 756, 802 5, 106, 002	1, 387, 968 2, 590, 939 3, 187, 777 1, 897, 981 5, 759, 798 66, 780

Respectfully,

FRANK H. MASON, United States Consul-General.

The SURGEON-GENERAL, U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

Cholera in other countries as reported to the health office.

BERLIN, GERMANY, November 4, 1901.

SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith the following information, obtained from the imperial health office at Berlin:

### Cholera.

DUTCH INDIES—Java.—In the town and district of Soerabaya, between May 23 and August 31, there were registered 1,880 cases of cholera (1,153 deaths); from September 8 to September 14, 305 cases (197 deaths). In Batavia, which was declared infected on September 20, there occurred, between June 25 and August 23, 271 cases, and, between August 24 and September 17, 201 cases (184 deaths). In Samarang, between August 22 and September 20, there were recorded 853 cases (523 deaths); in Tegal, between August 1 and September 10, 72 cases (54 deaths); in Indramjoe, between August 21 and September 10, 77 cases (60 deaths); in Pekalongan, between August 1 and August 27, 35 cases (14 deaths); in Probolingo, on September 8 and September 10, 2 cases (1 death).

Borneo.—In Bandjermasin were recorded, between August 1 and August 31, 100 cases (69 deaths).